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TO SACS, DALLAS (44-1639)
NEW YORK (44-974)

FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (44-24016) — 1946

JACK L. RUBY, AKA; LEE HARVEY OSWALD, AKA DASH VICTIM, CR.

WITH REGARD TO THE COPYRIGHT STORY BY COLUMNIST DOROTHY
KILGALLEN WHICH APPEARED IN THE QUOTE NEW YORK JOURNAL DASH
AMERICAN UNQUOTE ON AUGUST EIGHTEEN LAST PURPORTING TO BE ACTUAL
WORD FOR WORD TESTIMONY OF RUBY BEFORE THE PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION
ON JUNE SEVEN LAST, THE PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION HAS SPECIFICALLY
REQUESTED THAT WE CONDUCT AN INVESTIGATION TO DETERMINE HOW THE
TRANSCRIPT OF THE INTERVIEW CAME INTO POSSESSION OF DOROTHY
KILGALLEN AND THE QUOTE NEW YORK JOURNAL DASH AMERICAN UNQUOTE.

THE TRANSCRIPT OF THIS INTERVIEW REFLECTS THOSE PRESENT AS
CHIEF JUSTICE WARREN; CONGRESSMAN GERALD R. FORD; J. LEE RANKIN,
GENERAL COUNSEL; ELMER W. MOORE, SPECIAL AGENT, U.S. SECRET SERVICE;
JOSEPH A. BALL, STAFF COUNSEL; ARLEN SPECTER, STAFF COUNSEL;
ROBERT G. STOREY, COUNSEL; LEON JAWORSKI, COUNSEL; JIM BOWIE,
ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY; JOE H. TONAHILL, COUNSEL REPRESENTING
JACK RUBY; SHERIFF BILL DECKER; E. L. HOLMAN, CHIEF JAILER;

Tolson
DeLoach
Mohr
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Callahan
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NOTE:

See memo Rosen to Belmont, same caption, dated 8/20/64,
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TELETYPE TO DALLAS AND NEW YORK
RE: JACK L. RUBY, AKA;

ORVILL SMITH, DEPUTY SHERIFF; AND HELEN LAIDRICH, REPORTER.
THERE WERE NO BUREAU PERSONNEL PRESENT OR CONNECTED WITH THIS
INTERVIEW. IMMEDIATELY UPON RECEIPT DALLAS AND NEW YORK WILL
INSTITUTE AN EXPEDITE INVESTIGATION TO OBTAIN THE DESIRED
INFORMATION. THE INVESTIGATION MUST INCLUDE A THOROUGH INTERVIEW
OF ALL PERSONS PRESENT WITH THE EXCEPTION OF PERSONNEL OF THE
PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION ITSELF. NEW YORK WILL INTERVIEW DOROTHY
KILGALLEN AND APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS OF THE QUOTE NEW YORK JOURNAL
DASH AMERICAN UNQUOTE. ANY LEADS NECESSARY TO LOCATE THESE
PERSONS AND ANY LOGICAL LEADS ARISING FROM THE INTERVIEWS MUST
BE SET OUT BY TELETYPE AND HANDLED EXPEDITIOUSLY. ADVISE ALL
PERSONS INTERVIEWED THAT THE INVESTIGATION IS BEING CONDUCTED AT
THE SPECIFIC REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION ON THE ASSASSINATION
OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY. SUBMIT RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION BY
LETTERHEAD MEMORANDUM SUITABLE FOR DISSEMINATION TO THE PRESIDENT'S
COMMISSION NO LATER THAN AUGUST TWENTY SIX NEXT.

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